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## CRUCE APPROVES CITY CHARTER

Primary Will Be Held May 28 and the Election of Commissioners June 11.

City Attorney Webb returned from Ardmore yesterday afternoon where he went with the city charter to secure the approval of Gov. Cruce. The governor was not in town at the time, but Mr. Webb left the document for him and this morning received a message to the effect that he had approved it.

As stated yesterday the primary will be held May 28 and the final election June 11. Candidates must get busy at once, for all names must be filed with the county election board at least ten days before the primary.

### BOP WINS CHAMPIONSHIP INSTANT SPELLING CONTEST

Oklahoma City, Ok., May 9.—Lee McMahon, an 11-year-old boy of Medford, Ok., was pronounced the champion eighth grade speller of Oklahoma in a state-wide contest here today. Miss Ruth Wilkie, aged 15, of Moreland, was awarded second honor.

The prizes a gold and silver medal, respectively, were awarded at the end of eight and one-half hours of spelling.

Forty-two contestants from as many counties took part in the contest.

The state contestants previously had been selected through other contests to determine the championship in the various counties.

### DURANT WILL VOTE ON COMMISSION GOVERNMENT

Durant, Okla., May 10.—May 15 has been set as the date on which citizens of this city may vote on the adoption of the new charter, and two freeholders from each one of the wards have been selected to draw the charter. They are: First ward, W. W. Reynolds and Alf Wooten; Second, J. T. McIntosh and A. L. Severance; Third, Jesse M. Hatchett and Charles McPherson; Fourth, Horace Marshall and Wade Dougherty.

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## REUNION COMES TO A CLOSE

Gen. Young Elected Commander. Great Parade of Veterans and Other Organizations.

Macon, Ga., May 9.—Veterans of the south this morning assembled in large numbers in the vast auditorium at Camp Gordon to select a commander-in-chief, while others, housed in the government tents, packed their satchels and knapsacks and prepared for the return home after the parade this afternoon.

Interest in the selection of a commander-in-chief was intense among the veterans. They entered into this matter with more feeling than they did in the selection of the next meeting place and long before the convention was called to order they assembled and discussed earnestly and definitely their probable action.

Partisans of General C. Irvine Walker of Charleston, the present commander, were determined that he should be honored with the office which fell to him upon the death of the beloved Gordon a few months ago.

Friends of General Bennett H. Young of Louisville were actively promoting his candidacy. The followers of General Van Zandt of Texas, comprising mostly the veterans of the Trans-Mississippi department, were likewise strong in their contention that he was the logical man for the position.

Their most effective appeal was that the honors be divided and they urged that the west be given commander, now that the east has captured the next convention.

General Walker took the position that the office of commander-in-chief should not be solicited and for that reason he was not an active candidate.

The Macon reunion committee was working hard this morning to perfect the details for the parade this afternoon, which proved to be the most notable pageant in the annals of the reunion. Fully sixteen thousand veterans were in line and of this number nearly 6,000 were Georgians. Some of the old soldiers have come to Macon, arriving only today, simply to march again with their comrades of the sixties. The militia, sons of confederates, cadets and high school boys and girls, boy scouts, members of the Ladies' Memorial association, citizenry, officials, bands and the splendid galaxy of beautiful women to the number of several thousand comprised the greatest pageant ever witnessed in this city.

The parade formed at Camp Gordon, beginning at noon, but did not start until 2 o'clock. The route traversed sixteen blocks, through the principal streets.

### Socialist Delegates Selected.

Oklahoma City, Ok., May 10.—Oklahoma's delegation to the National Socialist convention, to begin in Indianapolis next Monday, selected by referendum, vote from a list of about fifteen candidates, are as follows: George E. Owen, National committeeman; Oscar Ameringer of Oklahoma City, R. E. Dooley, State secretary; O. F. Brandstetter of Oklahoma City, John G. Wills of Granite, Pat S. Nangle of Kingfisher, H. H. Stallard of Snyder, L. B. Irwin of Stillwater, Judge E. S. Hurt of Madill, W. L. Thurman of Konawa and J. T. Cumble of Sulphur. Cumble was the party nominee for governor in the last campaign.

The delegation is not pledged to any candidate. It is understood that if Eugene Debs will take the nomination he may have it, otherwise the Oklahoma delegation will be inclined to support Charles Edward Russell the well-known writer.

### To Select Roosevelt Men.

Birmingham, Ala., May 10.—The Roosevelt supporters in Alabama have completed arrangements for the state convention to be held here tomorrow to name a Roosevelt delegation to the national convention. The Roosevelt delegates will contest with the Taft delegates for recognition at the Chicago convention.

Hawthorne, the dramatization of Longfellow's great work will be presented at the normal auditorium Friday evening. Single admissions 50c. 25c.

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Teddy says Taft boosted for Lorimer and Taft says Teddy was a banchman of Joe Cannon. Both Lorimer and Cannon should sue for libel.

When he threw his hat into the ring Roosevelt said he would accept the nomination if it were tendered him, in other words, he would be a receptive candidate. In view of his subsequent campaign one wonders what he would do if he were to become an active candidate.

The veterans of the Confederate reunion at Macon voted to accept the invitation of the G. A. R. to hold a joint reunion at Gettysburg in July, 1913, the fiftieth anniversary of the great battle which largely decided the war. This is as it should be, showing, as it does, how thoroughly the reunited country is both politically and in brotherly feeling. In no other nation on earth would such a reunion be possible. Anywhere else the battle would likely be fought over again in good earnest when the opposing forces again came together and began talking over the events of the

first battle. The men who faced each other in the line of battle admire and respect each other; it is only the pettiness of a politician, like Senator Heyburn of Idaho, who never smelt powder, who would keep alive the animosities of half a century ago.

## BEST ROADS.

Thursday of last week a delegation of Hunt county citizens came to Ellis county to inspect the roads. They went to Waxahachie, and one of the members, in conversation with a reporter of the Waxahachie Light, said: "You certainly have the best roads in Texas," said John Erickson, secretary of the Greenville Commercial Club. "I have not seen any roads anywhere that will begin to compare with them. You may say that all the members of the visiting party are carried away with the trip here. They have seen a practical demonstration that good roads can be built in the black land, and they are returning home with a determination to carry the bond issue in the election that has been ordered for the Greenville justice precinct. If the proposition is

lost I may be safe in saying that Ellis county will gain at least one new citizen. I have heard one member of my party say that it was his purpose to sell out there and move to Ellis county, where a farmer could enjoy all the conveniences of the man who lives in town.—Midlothian Argus.

## THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

1534—Jacques Cartier reached the coast of Newfoundland.

1760—Rouget de Lisle, author of the "Marseillaise" born. Died June 26, 1836.

1763—The possession of Canada was confirmed to Great Britain by the treaty of Paris.

1775—Second Continental Congress met in Independence Hall, Philadelphia.

1798—George Vancouver, who explored the northwest coast of America, died in London. Born about 1757.

1814—First steam ferry-boat, the Nassau, commenced running between New York and Brooklyn.

1823—John Sherman, statesman, born in Lancaster, O. Died in Washington, D. C., Oct. 22, 1900.

1860—Theodore Parker, famous Unitarian preacher and writer, died in Florence, Italy. Born in Lexington, Mass., Aug. 24, 1810.

1876—The Centennial Exhibition was opened in Fairmount Park, Philadelphia.

1911—The Mexican insurgents under Gen. Madero captured the city of Juarez.

## RETIREMENT OF ADMIRAL POTTER.

Washington, D. C., May 10.—Today, after a career of more than forty years of faithful and efficient service as an officer of the United States navy, Rear Admiral William P. Potter, who recently has been aid for personnel at the Navy department, was placed on the retired list on account of having reached the age limit of sixty-two years. Admiral Potter is a native of New York and was graduated from Annapolis in 1869. He was a member of the naval court of inquiry that investigated the blowing up of the battleship Maine and was advanced five numbers for services in the Spanish war. In the memorable cruise of the United States battleship fleet around the world in 1908 Admiral Potter commanded the Vermont.

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## ANNOUNCEMENTS

The News is authorized to announce the following gentlemen as candidates for the offices named, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in August.

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GARY KITCHENS  
WILMER B. JONES

### FOR COUNTY CLERK:

J. W. WESTBROOK  
A. L. MILES  
M. F. DEW  
JOSEPH ANDERSON

### FOR SHERIFF:

L. E. MITCHELL (Re-election)

### FOR CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT:

FRANK HUDDLESTON  
A. D. TANNER

### FOR COUNTY ASSESSOR:

NICK HEARD  
W. O. PRATT

### FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT:

T. W. ROBISON  
W. T. MELTON  
T. F. PIERCE (Re-election)  
MISS KATIE LAWSON

### FOR COUNTY TREASURER:

RIT ERWIN (Re-election)

### FOR COUNTY WEIGHER:

JOHN WARD  
SHIERSWOOD HILL (Re-election)

### FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, ADA, PRECINCT:

H. J. BROWN  
T. O. CULLINS

### FOR CO. COMMISSIONER, DIST. NO. 1:

HENRY KROTH  
M. L. HUNT

### FOR CO. COMMISSIONER, DIST. NO. 2:

GEO. W. MONTGOMERY  
(Re-election)

### FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

CONWAY O. BARTON  
(Re-election)

### FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:

R. C. ROLAND  
B. C. KING

### FOR REPRESENTATIVE:

JNO. P. CRAWFORD  
(Re-election)

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### Electric Boards in New York Attract Attention.

### EVANGELISTIC COMMISSION FORMED TO ASCERTAIN FACTS CONCERNING RELIGIOUS CONDITIONS IN AMERICA—MANY RADICAL PLANS MADE.

New York.—It would be hard to tell which was the more surprised by the appearance of a huge sign at 23rd street and Broadway advertising the churches, the religious leaders whose offices are grouped in that neighborhood or the nonreligious class who haunt this particular section of Broadway after 10 o'clock at night. The sign, which is 13½ by 62 feet, bears the legend, in gigantic letters, "Welcome for Everybody in the Churches of New York." At either end is a cross, and the subsidiary statements, "Men for Religion," "Religion for Men," "Men and Religion Forward Movement." The attention attracted is shown by the fact that on the following morning three of the New York dailies printed first page articles about the sign.

Other signs were opened later in the week farther up Broadway, and more are to follow. Two at 37th and Broadway proclaim, "The Church Wants Men in Her Work for Man," and "I AM My Brother's Keeper." The first one, which is on the top of a 23rd street building overlooking Madison square, Broadway, 5th avenue and Madison avenue, is in a commanding position. The downtown business men who travel to their offices in automobiles see it at the beginning of the day. Practically all of the strangers in New York visit Madison square to see the Garden, the Metropolitan building and the Flatiron building. There are more national religious headquarters within shouting distance of this spot than anywhere else in the land. Hither come the ministers of New York and vicinity for their weekly meetings. None of these various people can escape seeing the big church sign.

Radical are the methods and proposals of this publicity commission, it is only one out of nine commissions which have set out to ascertain the facts concerning the religious conditions of America. Doubtless many radical recommendations will be made. The social service commission has the sometimes sensational experiences of the last winter's campaigning to draw upon. In most of the cities visited the social service survey has elicited startling facts. Rumor has it that the evangelistic commission also may hit hard at the itinerant evangelists so long in vogue.

Nobody can prophecy what may be the result of this statement of the facts of present day religious conditions which will be made in the conservation congress April 19-24. The strongest laymen in the land will be present, and their mood is to follow the findings. Any sort of shapeup in religious organizations may be anticipated. The tendency is clearly toward new ways for the new days, and for a simplification of religious work, with the local church as the permanent unit and agency.

### TO KILL AN OYSTER, EAT HIM

London Professor Says This Is Most Humane Way to End Bivalve's Life.

New York.—Scruples of tender-hearted epicures, who have maintained that the eating of live oysters inflicts pain upon the tender bivalves and should therefore be prohibited by law, are set at rest by a statement from the professor of physiology at the London Medical school. Commenting on an announcement that a "prevention of cruelty to oysters" campaign is to be inaugurated by the president of the Alabama oyster commission, the professor says:

"The oyster has a certain nervous structure, and undoubtedly has a certain amount of nervous sensibility. It is impossible, however, to say whether its nervous sensibilities are of a sufficiently high development to enable it to exercise pain. In any case, it would be hard to find a more sudden or a more merciful way of killing an oyster than by eating him."

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# BANKRUPT

## Sale of Texas Department Store

Will continue until stock is sold. People the way we have priced this stuff we ought to do most of the cash business of this town. Now listen, this stock invoiced close to \$25,000.00 \$5,000.00 of which was bought new this spring, we own the whole business at 43 cent on the \$1.00 we are selling it without regard to wholesale cost. It's a quick turn we want and its Price must turn the trick, and it ought to be dead easy, considering the fact that we are offering you merchandise at retail at less money than other merchants pay at wholesale. Everything marked for quick selling. Come here first.

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## ED HILL FIVE WEEKS

MEMORIAL COMMEMORATES BRAVE ACT OF PIONEER.

Early Colorado Settler, With His Family, Held War Party of Indians at Bay on Spot Now Known as "Simpson's Rest."

Prominent among the rocky, mesa-like hills that surround Denver, is a rugged, gray point, within the outskirts of the town, known as "Simpson's Rest." Recently there was erected on this hill a monument commemorating the brave fight put up at this spot by John Simpson, one of the earliest settlers of Colorado, against a war party of Utes and Cheyennes in 1855. The Indian fighter and his wife are buried on top of the hill.

The Utes and Cheyennes made the foothills and the plains adjoining the Rockies their hunting ground, but they rarely gave trouble to settlers. Consequently, one May morning in 1855, when Simpson's children, Bob and Nora, aged 15 and 13, were making their way to a small stream near their home, they were surprised to see a large party of Indians riding toward them at a terrific pace, shaking their lances and uttering blood-thirsty cries. At the same time they heard a cry from the direction of the cabin, and saw their father running toward them with his rifle in his hand.

Simpson had just returned from an expedition. He had heard that the Cheyennes and Utes had gone on the warpath, and he had hastened home just in time to rescue his family. Seeing the trapper, the Indians hesitated, for Simpson's fame as a shot had spread throughout the frontier, and the redskins knew that several among them would meet death if they persisted in their attempt to capture the children.

Two burros were packed with provisions, a keg of water and all the ammunition the trapper possessed. Driving the burros ahead of them the members of the little family set out from the house. Simpson covered the Indians with his rifle when they approached too near, and the family was unmolested. The hill which appealed to the trapper as a good place for defense was accessible only by a single narrow, rocky path, up which one must climb today in reaching the summit of "Simpson's Rest." The summit of the hill is flat, about half an acre in extent and surrounded by a high rocky wall. It would be impossible to storm such natural fortress except by overpowering the defenders at the narrow defile which served as an entrance.

The Indians saw that it was hopeless to attempt to storm the natural fortress, so they surrounded the hill and began a siege in the endeavor to "starve out" the defenders. The siege has no parallel in the history of the west. For five weeks the plucky pioneer and his family held their fortress. They killed their burros when provisions ran low. Fortunately, there had been heavy rains, and depressions in the rocks at the top of the hill were filled with water, giving an ample supply. At the end of the fifth week, when hope was nearly abandoned, the Indians suddenly brought in their ponies and rode away with shrill cries. A troop of cavalry from Fort Lyon, 150 miles distant, which had been sent out to render aid to any settlers who might have escaped the marauding Indians, soon came in view, and Simpson and his family were rescued.

### Woman's Chances.

The plan of the Brooklyn priest who suggests a fine of \$100 for every young man who reaches his twenty-fifth birthday unmarried, and a legal requirement that every unmarried woman must propose at least three times each leap year, recalls an interesting tale which was once compiled.

Reckoning a woman's entire chance of marrying at 100, the table purports to give her varying chances at different times of life. For example, between the ages of 15 and 20 her chance is 14½ per cent. Between 20 and 25 it jumps to 52 per cent, falling between 25 and 30 to 18, and to 15 per cent. between 30 and 35. After 40 it is only 2 per cent, and after 60 she has only one chance in 1,000.

The priest thinks that "training, tradition and the natural bashfulness of the American girl" keep her from speaking first. Undoubtedly they do, and it is to be hoped they will continue so to do. "Natural bashfulness," as the father calls it, will go farther and faster in getting a good husband than any amount of cultivated boldness.

### Wanted It, and Got It.

Here is a story that will be as pleasing to a true American as it will be obnoxious to a European. Arthur Gleason tells it of Joseph Fels in the World's Work. It is about Mr. Fels' invasion of London.

He looked around the streets a bit, and found the office he wished, the right situation and right size.

"I'll take it," he said to the owner. "But that is not customary. To whom will you refer me? To your solicitor?"

"I haven't any."

"But friends of yours in London?" "I came here yesterday, haven't got acquainted with anybody yet. Here's the rental money for the first six months. Take it or leave it."

"But won't tomorrow be more satisfactory for coming to a settlement?"

"That's one day too late. I want the office today, now."

He got his office.

## S. E. CHAPMAN FOR CITY COMMISSIONER

S. E. Chapman authorizes the News to announce his candidacy for Mayor, subject to the action of the primary of May 28.

Mr. Chapman needs no introduction to the citizens of Ada, he having lived here almost from the time the town was founded, and having always been found among the front ranks of boosters.

Mr. Chapman served two terms on the city council as alderman from the first ward, and was always at his post of duty, looking carefully after the interests of the town. A year ago he was elected mayor and has discharged the duties of that office faithfully and well.

Under the commission form of government the office of mayor is of much more importance and its responsibilities much weightier than under the present form, for the mayor will also have the departments of police and public safety to look after, and will be the police judge. This office demands a man of firmness and courage to fill successfully and both of these qualities Mr. Chapman possesses to an eminent degree.

## LIVER BUTTONS FROM HOT SPRINGS

Really Marvelous Remedy for Constipation, Biliariousness and Sick Headache.

Elderly people, especially are finding to their great joy that there is nothing on earth so good to aid the bowels and keep the stomach, bowels and liver in tip-top condition as Hot Springs Liver Buttons.

They are surely true laxatives; they not only keep the bowels in prime shape without discomfort, but the tone up the system, purify the blood, turn sallow, plump skin into clear, healthy skin, and banish depression or the blues.

Use the wonderful Hot Springs Liver Buttons also for indigestion, torpid liver, nervousness, dizziness etc., and you will have no use for ordinary cathartics and purgatives. 25c a box at all good drug stores. For free sample, write Hot Springs Chemical Co., Hot Springs, Ark.

Mad-ox Drug Store, special agent in Ada.

## TAHLEQUAH WINS STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

Tahlequah won the state debating contest held at Oklahoma City last evening. The Alva normal won the championship of the west side in the first round of contests, and Tahlequah by defeating both Ada and Durant won that of the east side. The same team that defeated Ada won the state championship.

In the reading contest Misses Lena West and Helen Myers who won in the first contests, represented the east side, and one from Weatherford and one from Alva represented the west side. The young lady from Alva won the decision, receiving two votes against one for Miss Lena West of Ada.

Prof. Briles expresses himself as highly pleased with the showing made by the young ladies from Ada.

It is also worthy of note that neither of the two normals proposed to be exempted from slaughter by the Aiken bill were entitled to representation in either event of Thursday evening.

Our want column is at your service and it works day and night. Telephone No. 4.

## CAUSES OF APOPLEXY

PRIMARILY RECOGNIZED AS ACCOMPANIMENT OF OLD AGE.

Unde Worry, Even in Those of Comparatively Youthful Years, Will Also Induce Dreaded Malady — Victims Sometimes Recover.

The word "apoplexy" generally means a sudden paralysis caused by the rupture of a blood vessel in the brain; it is popularly called a "stroke." It is a result of a softening of the arteries that often follows primary hardening or arteriosclerosis.

The disease is a common accompaniment of old age, so common indeed that it is regarded by many as the one characteristic senile change.

It is not confined to old age, however, for many comparatively young men who have gone too fast and too far in the pursuit of wealth or who have met with reverses and have worried unduly over them have hardening of the arteries and are killed or disabled by apoplexy.

In their hardened blood vessels there may be softening spots which, bulged by the hydraulic pressure of the blood, form little aneurisms. At the extra strain on the vessels, caused by some violent emotion or the lifting of a heavy weight or running to catch a train may then rupture one or more of these little aneurisms and so let the blood pour into the brain tissue.

If the blood escapes rapidly and in large amount it causes immediate loss of consciousness and paralysis; if the blood escapes gradually and in small amount it causes either severe headache and tingling and numbness in one or more of the limbs, or progressive loss of power, gradual dulling of the mental faculties and ultimate unconsciousness.

Apoplexy is not always fatal; indeed complete recovery without any paralysis sometimes occurs. The sufferer's immediate fate is commonly decided in two or three days—either he dies without regaining consciousness or his mental faculties gradually return. He is then seen to be paralyzed in either one arm or in one leg, or in one side of the face, or in all three.

In less serious cases the paralysis lessens, the facial expression becomes easier. Even when the paralysis is permanent there is almost always more or less improvement for some weeks after the stroke.

Apoplexy can be treated only by the physician, but those who fear an attack can do much to avert it. Quiet and calm should be for them the rule of life. They should never make any severe muscular effort. They should never run for cars or climb stairs quickly. They should avoid hearty meals and the drinking of much fluid, even water, at any one time.—*Youth's Companion*.

### Parrot's Shrieks Start Murder Scene.

A large green parrot, supposed to have escaped from the Oceana of the Bermuda line, stopped traffic at Montgomery and Washington streets, Jersey City, and stayed on the job until it had called out the police reserves and the fire apparatus, says the New York Evening World.

Crowds on their way to work were startled to hear loud shrieks coming from an upper floor of the Lincoln Trust company building.

"It's a murder!" said a fat man.

"It's a foreign lady," declared the fat man. "Why don't somebody save her?"

Hundreds of people crowded the streets, when Martin Grady, head porter of the trust company, found the bird in a small recess under the eaves.

When a fireman got half way up the ladder the parrot flew away.

### Why Clink Glasses?

"What have you got against that man at the corner table?" asked the bartender of the regular customer. "That was a positive insult you handed him a minute ago. You never offered to clink glasses with him."

"What's the use?" said the customer. "He is deaf, and deaf men seldom clink glasses. Why should they? They couldn't hear it. People only clink glasses to satisfy the fifth sense. At any rate that was why the originators of the practice did it, and succeeding generations have perpetuated the custom. In the ordinary process of quaffing a glass of liquor we are inevitably bound to see the stuff, touch it, smell it, and taste it. That leaves the ear alone unsatisfied. So we clink for its gratification."

### Outlook Promising.

On Sixth avenue, New York, two young women walked behind her, conversing audibly above the roar of the elevated.

"And how are you liking your husband?" asked one.

"Oh, he's steady," returned the other; "he don't drink, he stays home nights, and I kind o' think I'm going to like him."

How fortunate! thought the woman.

### One of Nature's Noblemen.

"Money don't seem to have spoiled Mr. Winkerson a bit."

"I know it. He's just the same as ever. Last night him and his wife come over to play bridge with my husband and I, and he never done a thing to show that he didn't think folks that hadn't money was just as good as anybody, as long as they was refined."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## WHO WANTS GOOD ROADS?

The reasons why various classes in the community should take an interest in good roads are graphically set forth as follows in a pamphlet distributed by the Good Roads Federation:

If you are a farmer, because your farm will increase in value, you can raise more profitable crops, your cost of hauling will be lower, you can market your products when prices are best, your children can get to school, your family can attend church, your physician will be in closer touch with you, your boys and girls will stay on the farm, you will have better mail service, more social life, and happier conditions all around.

If you are a merchant, because good roads enlarge your trading radius, and make it possible for purchasers to reach you every day in the year, and thereby increase your sales.

If you represent a chamber of commerce or a board of trade, because the public roads are commercial feeders to the city, and every improvement of these roads means a greater prosperity to the cities through increased agricultural production and greater stimulus to all industries.

If you are a highway official, because you are striving for better methods of road construction and maintenance, and more efficient road administration.

If you are a railroad man, because improved roads mean greater production, consequently more traffic, prevent freight congestion, bring more industries, more roads, more tourists.

If you are a dealer in farm products and implements, because you can receive the products and deliver the implements at all times.

If you are a manufacturer of road machinery or road materials because road improvements means more business.

If you are a proprietor of a hotel, because improved roads mean more tourists and more commercial travel. New England, with its system of good roads, gets \$60,000,000 a year from tourists alone.

If you are a publisher or editor, because improved roads make wider circulation possible, increase advertising by stimulating commercial enterprises and because road improvements is the most important economic question of the age.

If you are a progressive citizen, because you cannot progress so long as your state and nation remain in the mud.

The following merchants and business men have consented to act on the various committees for the improvement of roads on the proposed bond issue.

Citizens Committee—S. M. Shaw, M. Levin, W. C. Duncan, E. W. Hardin, John Chapman, M. C. Wilson, W. J. Coffman, L. Rosenfeld, J. M. Stanfield, A. K. Thornton, Ed Hunter, C. F. Green, Chas. T. Barney, W. W. Sledge, A. S. Hoover, Ed Gwin, Dr. Faust, F. E. Bowman, R. F. Smith, R. W. Simpson, Dr. Dawson, Bud Gregg, C. J. Warren.

Publicity Committee—M. D. Timberlake, W. S. Morrison, J. M. Wintersmith, Byron Norrell, R. E. Blanks.

Finance Committee—Tom Hope, P. A. Norris, A. L. Beck, C. H. Rives, W. L. Reed.

### JUDGE FOR YOURSELF

Which is the Better—Try an Experiment or Profit by an Ada Citizen's Experience.

Something new is an experiment. Must be proved to be as represented.

The statement of a manufacturer is not convincing proof of merit. But the endorsement of friends is. Now supposing you had a bad back, A Lame, Weak, or Aching one. Would you experiment on it?

You will read of many so-called cures.

Endorsed by strangers from faraway places.

It's different when the endorsement comes from home.

Easy to prove local testimony.

Home endorsement is the proof that backs every box of Doan's Kidney Pills.

Read this case:

Mrs. Eli Smith, 416 W. Sixteenth St., Ada, Okla., says: "I most always keep Doan's Kidney Pills on hand. They are safe for women to use and bring good results. My kidneys were weak and inactive and there were pains in my side. At times I was dizzy and nervous and mornings felt all tired out. Hearing about Doan's Kidney Pills, I procured a supply and they gave me complete relief."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

## 25% DISCOUNT

Beginning Saturday, May 11 and continuing, 14 days. Owing to the fact that we were delayed a month in getting into our new store we are going to put two months business into one. All blue serge suits and blacks are included in this sale.

### Here are the Prices With Discount

#### MEN'S SUITS

<b>\$25.00 Suits go at</b>	<b>\$18.75</b>
<b>20.00 Suits go at</b>	<b>15.00</b>
<b>17.50 Suits go at</b>	<b>13.10</b>
<b>15.00 Suits go at</b>	<b>11.25</b>
<b>12.50 Suits go at</b>	<b>8.35</b>
<b>0.00 Suits go at</b>	<b>7.50</b>
<b>7.50 Suits go at</b>	<b>5.65</b>

#### Boys' Knickerbocker Suits

**\$6.00 Suits go at**	**\$4.50</**

# MAJESTIC

Shows Only The Best Pictures and  
CHANGES DAILY

S. & A. FEATURE STORY.

## "AT THE END OF THE TRAIL"

A grim, gripping tragedy of the far North Woods, introducing two full teams of genuine Alaska "Malamuts" or "Mush" dogs. The best picture in months—decidedly out of the ordinary.

PATHE'S DRAMA.

## "THE TORN NOTE"

A powerful drama of an unjust accusation that is fathomed out in time to prevent a tragedy. A picture to make one think.

COMING! "WAR'S HAVOC" THE GREAT MILITARY WAR DRAMA

## To-Night! AT THE DeSota!

THANHOUSER

## "THE BABY BRIDE"

Brings the Thanhouser Kid and the Thanhouser Kidlet together again to give you another "kid picture" treat, like the "Guilty Baby." Imagine the Kid Eloping with the Kidlet! That's exactly what this picture is about.

## "A DISTANT RELATIVE"

By the "Fly A," featuring Warren Kerrigan and Pauline Bush. These pictures are noted for their beautiful California scenery

## "RE-UNITED"

AN IMP.

## "A VICTIM OF THE MORMONS"

Will be here Wednesday, May 15th—in three Reels.

## ADMISSION 5c AND 10c

### CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Loose leaf ledger's a. Holley's. 229tf

Andy Chapman left this afternoon on a business trip to Oklahoma City and the western part of the state.

Ask for Gwin's Favorite Cream—25c and 50c. 303-tf

J. Q. Adams has purchased the Brown C. O. D. Grocery and will hereafter make his office in the rear of the building it occupies.

See B. B. Howard for all kinds of tin work. Phone 256. 166-dtf

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Hudson of Sherman, Texas, are visiting their son, Mr. J. W. Westbrook and family.

New Wall paper coming in all the while at Holley's. 229tf

Miss Minnie Chisler was a passenger to Tupelo this morning.

This morning President and Mrs. C. W. Briles, Prof. J. Frank Lilly, Max Brents, Tony Edwards and Misses Lena West and Helen Myers returned from Oklahoma City, where they attended the debating and reading contests between the east and west sides

Always got all kinds of paint at lowest prices at Dr. Holley's Drug Store. 229tf

of the state.

A land office business has been done today in screen doors and many citizens have been hustling to get them into place in time to head off the festive fies that have begun to appear within the past few days.

Hiawatha at the normal auditorium Friday evening. 2t

Fine Shoe Repairing By W. M. CASEY

Prices Right—Located at 112 S. Bdwy.

## Ada Auto Co.

All kinds of repair work done with dispatch. Livery service; country trips a specialty. GARAGE ON 12TH STREET.

Phone - 484

All kinds of blank books, ledgers, cash books and day books at Holley's Drug Store. 229tf

R. F. Smith is on deck today with a big ad telling of the Hoosier Kitchen cabinet, the wonderful time saver and step taker for he housewife. Read and consider it.

Please call 13 at once and phone your order for flowers for Mother's Day. L. T. Walters. 2td

"At the End of the Trail" is a picture the settings of which are in the far north of Alaska. Its most unusual in this respect and is a drama of gripping interest throughout. "The Torn Note" is an other drama showing the trials of a young man unjustly accused of a crime and his final vindication. Coming soon, "War's Havoc."—Majestic Theatre.

Hiawatha will be presented by the eighth grade pupils of the Normal Friday evening. Don't miss it. 2td

Stevens-Wilson Co. have a page ad in this paper which shows that this new firm does not propose to be undersold by anybody. Read the ad and see if you need anything in the lines they offer.

Flowers for Mother's Day if you give your order in time. L. T. Walters. 2td

Mrs. John Huber of Ada, who had been in the city since Tuesday with her daughter, Miss Ollie, who is ill, left for home yesterday. Miss Ollie, who had recovered sufficiently, returned with her mother.—Durant Democrat.

Hiawatha is the most beautiful Indian drama ever written. At the normal Friday evening. Admission 50c.

S. C. Yeargan has begun the erection of a neat cottage on East Main street, a block west of the normal. C. F. Brashears is the contractor.

Allen's Bus Line will make trips from the First National Bank to the Normal Friday night, every 20 minutes, beginning at 8 o'clock. 10 cents one way or 20 cents round trip.

Dr. J. M. Vaden returned last evening from Shawnee where he attended the three days meeting of the state medical association. He reports that the program was about the best in the history of the organization and that the visitors were treated most royally. A feature of the meeting was a big banquet given Wednesday evening. About 200 physicians were in attendance. The next meeting will be held at Enid.

Let the News WANT COLUMN be your agent. Results are sure.

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Miss Lila Jones of Greenville, Tex., who taught at Fillmore last term, and who has been here for the past week on a visit to J. H. Jones and wife, returned home this morning.

A. S. Hoover, the new clothing man, has increased his advertising space in the News. Mr. Hoover being progressive busines man knows the value of advertising in building up a trade and also appreciates the value of the News as an advertising medium.

Now is the time to kill the Akin bill and the best way is to raise the funds necessary to collect the evidence. Help the good cause along by attending the entertainment at the normal Friday evening. 2td

This evening the DeSota will give another charming baby picture in which the Thanhouser Kid and Kidlet are the star performers. "The Baby Bride," shows the elopement of these charming little folks. "Reunited" is a stirring drama that will be a treat to all. On the 15th the famous picture, "A Victim of the Mormons" in three reels will be shown.

Howe and Barlowe at the Empress last evening proved themselves the sensation of the season. Their dog, Ginger, is also a marvel as all who saw his wonderful performance testify. This team will again be at the Empress this evening, and besides their specialties the management will present two exceptionally fine pictures, "Dress Suit in Pawn," a roaring comedy, and a drama entitled "Sons of the North Woods."

F. F. Ferguson of Minco, head of the farm demonstration work of this part of the state, was in town today looking after the affairs of his department. He stated that in spite of the rain crop conditions in all parts of the state are fine. The only trouble will be to keep ahead of the weeds.

Henry Kroth informs the News that he will cut his first crop of alfalfa next week. He says it has grown splendidly and when cut will partially solve the feed problem for him.

Some of the Ada socialists have informed the News that the report about Stanley Clark being suspended from the party is not quite correct. They say that he has some money belonging to the party and claims that headquarters is indebted to him and refuses to settle until his claim is allowed. He resigned from the executive committee, so they say, instead of being fired. They also assert that if after an investigation Clark is known to have been crooked, he will be fired bodily from the party.

Try a News want ad. It will bring results.

Rooms and meals for 600 students for ten weeks beginning about May 26 and 27. Phone Miss Champlin, the secretary at the Normal, the following information: Name, Street No., Phone No., No. of men, No. of Women and price.

26-6t

Thursday afternoon the News reporter paid a visit to Sherwood Hill's strawberry patch—in the absence of the owner, of course—and there was probably very little to be picked today.

Mr. Hill has about two acres in berries, and there can be no question about the productiveness of the soil, for berries were everywhere. He will make good money out of the patch this season, and has demonstrated more fully than any other man in the vicinity of Ada what can be done in producing berries on a large scale.

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If you will investigate you will find that Rinerd has an up-to-date stock of groceries. 19-tf

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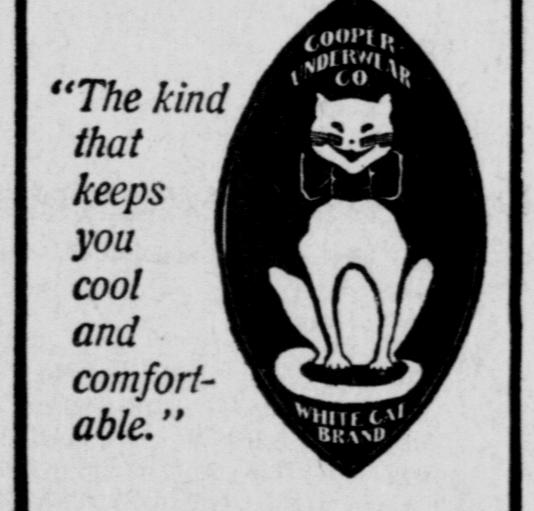
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Scientifically woven and cut to give greatest coolness and comfort, and to protect the body thoroughly.

Wears like iron. Several styles, separate garments and union suits.

White Cat Underwear for Men



"The kind that keeps you cool and comfortable."

Imported, Scratch, Felt Hats, variety of styles and colors \$1.50

Nobby White Hats \$1.25

Big Line Split Straws \$4.00

Fine Milan Straws \$4.00

Genuine Panama Hats \$5.00

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# Pianos

Are Not a Luxury any more, but

## a Necessity

No young lady can complete her education now without a course in music on a PIANO.

We have a houseful of all grades. Terms as low as \$25 down and \$8 per month.

111 W. MAIN L. T. Walters.

### CITY ANNOUNCEMENTS

# WANTS

WANTED—2,000 men to smoke the "400" and True Stock 5c cigars. Made in Ada. 30-8t

For Sale.

The best bargain ever offered in a nice home on 17th street. All furniture, rugs, carpets, 1 full blood Jersey cow, all go at price of place. See me quick. G. W. HALL. 25-2t

FOR RENT—Four room house on East 13th, buggy house, barn and garden. Mrs. Shands. Phone 476. 23-2t

FOR SALE—Quick Meal range in good condition, \$10. Child's folding bed, \$3.50. Phone 272. 22-dt

FOR RENT—Rooms for light house-keeping. Phone 224. 312-dt

FOR RENT—Two furnished front rooms, one block from the city hall. Phone 397. Mrs. S. T. Williams. 265-tf

## KILL THE COUGH AND CURE THE LUNGS

### WITH DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY



## Going to Paint?

If it's the house, barn, fence, kitchen floor, walls or anything else, we will gladly tell you what kind to use, quantity required, the cost, and how it should be applied. We have

### ACME QUALITY

Paints, Enamels, Stains and Varnishes for refinishing any shabby surface—indoors or outdoors.

Glad to show colors and offer advice whether you decide to paint or not.

### RAMSEY DRUG CO., ADA, OKLA.

#### BOSTON HONORS

#### PRESIDENT BROOKS

Norman, Okla., May 10.—Dean Monnet of the State University has received from the committee in charge at Boston a program of the complimentary dinner tendered to Dr. Stratton D. Brooks, the newly elected president of the University of Oklahoma. The dinner was given by his friends on April 25th at the hotel Somersett in Boston on the occasion of his retirement from the superintendency of the Boston public schools to become president of the University of Oklahoma. There were present between 500 and 600 guests and friends. Mich-

ael E. Fitzgerald, president of the Boston school Men's Club, was the chairman, and Pres. A. Lawrence Low of Harvard University was the toastmaster of the evening. The speakers were Eugene N. Foss, governor of Massachusetts, Rev. Thomas L. Gascon, president of Boston college, Frederick P. Fish, chairman of the state board of education, James P. Munroe, chairman of the committee on Education of the Boston Chamber of Commerce, James J. Storrow, chairman of the Boston school board for several years, David A. Ellis, present chairman of the Boston school board, and other distinguished speakers, the response of the evening being by Dr. Brooks. Music was furnished by the Boston Festival Orchestra and by the Boston High school Masters' Quartet, and a splendid nine course dinner was served. There is printed on the program of the evening the following beautiful ballad by Frederic Allison Tupper:

#### "A New Ballad of East and West to Stratton D. Brooks.

The Eastern Land to the Western Land sent a message of import high:

From your prairies vast, from your rivers grand, from your mountains that seek the sky. From the freedom of your unreined winds that sweep untrammeled past,

From the broad horizon of your sky so lofty, and so vast,

From the teeming wealth of your fertile farms, from your noble cities send,

A man who in himself all these harmoniously shall blend."

And, so, he came to the Eastern Land he brought the stir of the West, The eager love of progress and the passion for the best,

The soul that spares not toil nor thought, if but the work is done, And the high ideal and the real are harmonized in one.

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Mother's Day Next Sunday at First Christian Church.

At the First Christian church next Sunday at 11 a. m. Mother's Day will be observed with the following program:

"Our Need of Mothers"—E. S. Ratliff.

"Influence of Mother in the Home"—M. L. Perkins.

Mother and the Church—I. Wymore. All requested to wear white chrysanthemum or other white flower.

Special music.

The public cordially invited to participate in this service.



#### Headquarters

for all kinds of coal. Our bins are full and we are equipped to execute your orders exactly as given and with little delay. The following prices will interest you:

Dewer Nut, \$4.50; Lump, \$5.50; Highest Grade McAlester Lump, \$6.50; all in ton lots.

Remember if you get 1500 lbs. of lump coal and 500 lbs. of slack for a ton you have really only 1500 lbs. of coal as the slack is worthless to you. We would not let you have slack if you wanted it as we need it for our boilers, so be sure and get our prices before you buy.

ADA ICE & COLD STORAGE CO.  
Phone No. 29.

#### TORNADO INSURANCE

25c PER HUNDRED FOR..... 1 YEAR  
50c PER HUNDRED FOR..... 2 YEARS  
75c PER HUNDRED FOR..... 5 YEARS  
SMALL COST.....

LARGE BENEFITS

SEE

JOHN GARDNER

111 WEST MAIN

PHONE 78

#### FLATDWELLER IN SUBURBS

He Found That He Had Forgotten How to Skate—And Something Else Too.

"I wouldn't have thought," said a former flat dweller, "that one could ever forget how to skate, but I have discovered that he can."

"Last spring, after twenty years in a city flat, we moved to a house in the suburb near which there is a pond that gives good skating in winter. When I was a boy I used to be good on skates and the other day I went out to this pond. I hadn't skated for more than twenty years, but I had no idea but that I could put on a pair of skates and just glide right off with the rest of them. Do you know what actually happened?"

"I got a pair of skates and stood up on them, but that was about all. I could stand up, but not much more, and surely I was surprised. I made a few efforts, and I did get a little distance, but only by great effort, and my feet were apt to spread out and my ankles to turn and I was all the time in danger of falling down. So I was very glad to get those skates off and to acknowledge that I had forgotten how to skate. But that was nothing to another thing I had forgotten, namely, the use of the snow shovel."

"There was a time when I could shovel snow with the best of them; but during those twenty years up in the flat I had never touched a shovel; the janitor attended to all that. But here in our own suburban home when snow fell the shoveling was up to me; the walk from the front door to the sidewalk, the stretch of sidewalk itself, and the walk around to the kitchen door."

"And when I tackled this job for the first time, well, I was surprised, indeed, to find how much I'd forgotten about snow shoveling."

"But there was nobody but me to do it, and it had to be done. I may never again learn to skate, but I've had to learn anew how to shovel snow."

#### CHURCHMAN PARTY TO FRAUD

At Least, Ecclesiastic Thought So When Told Emerald Was Only an Imitation.

Bishop Johnson of South Dakota tells this story of himself:

"I was dining one night beside a man of whom I had never heard before. I soon discovered that he was quick witted and later I was also to discover that he was a jewelry expert. I was wearing an emerald ring which I prize very highly for its history as well as for its beauty.

"Will you let me see your ring?"

"I gladly passed the trinket to him; he examined it critically, and then returned it, saying:

"It is the best imitation emerald I ever saw."

"I was startled. I told him that it was genuine and had been used in England by churchmen for 200 years, and that it had always been considered a flawless gem."

"Nevertheless," he replied, "it is an imitation emerald."

"Some time later I met an expert in gems in New York, showed him the ring and asked his opinion of it. The man looked at it and told me that it was an imitation."

"I have reproached myself for having told you," he remarked.

"I'm glad you did tell me," I replied. "Else I might have transmitted a lie to posterity."

"You surely would have been in good company in doing that," said he, and the incident was at an end."—The World Today.

#### Decline of Repentance.

Repentance—once so universally practiced at this season of the year, as well as on birthdays, and sometimes on Sundays—is rapidly becoming one of the obsolete virtues. Even novelists seem to have grown tired of the "wobbling" heroine, the lady who plunged into exotic sins one day and betook herself (metaphorically) to a nunery the next, only to join the army of backsliders with greater zest than ever as soon as her fit of penitence was over. Despite copybook maxims warning the unwary of the futility of indulging in lamentation over spilt milk, repentance has flourished exceedingly, and women especially have hitherto always manifested a strong bias in that direction.

Repentance needs leisure, and that may be why it is gradually going out of fashion. People have no time to look backwards, and, moreover, they are now realizing the futility of doing so. Like Omar Khayyam, they understand that no one can rub out what the moving finger has written, and that tears are powerless to undo what has once been done.—Exchange.

#### Much-Named Isle.

The Parisians, who are extremely fond of changing place names within their jurisdiction, have never equalled the record established in this respect in the case of the Island of Reunion, which has changed its name four times in a little over half a century and with little or no reason for doing so.

In 1793 it was Bourbon, as it had been for a century and a half; but the convention then changed it to Reunion.

Under the empire it became Isle Bonaparte, at the restoration it reverted to Bourbon, and, finally, in 1848, it became Reunion once more and so far has retained that name.

## STATE TAX LEAGUE IS THE CATSPAW

(Continued From Wednesday's Daily)

order to stem the tide of indignation and obtain sufficient membership in their organization to elect a legislature that will spend \$3,500,000 of the people's money in building a beautiful state capitol in Oklahoma City, these chaps raise a great howl about high taxes, extravagant administration, etc.

Dear reader, do you propose to lend aid to such a scheme? They boast of the fact that they intend to use their influence in the selection of a majority of the legislature. They will no doubt select for you the men to vote for, as was done a few weeks ago in the election of the school board of Oklahoma City. And, by the way, that reminds me of one of the real causes for high taxes in Oklahoma City. Nearly all of these gentlemen own interests in additions to Oklahoma City, and members of the school board are almost as important to them as the legislature, for they have many fine school buildings erected in those additions, some of them out almost beyond the bounds of civilization, in order to increase the value of property. These buildings cost thousands of dollars, and in some instances have only a dozen pupils. These men are masters in this kind of schemes. They control the voters of Oklahoma City absolutely and successfully, and now they propose to go out with their league and control the state. Mr. Voter, will you be a cat's paw for this association? We hope not.

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No. 111 Lv. Daily.....11:25 A. M.  
No. 113 Lv. Daily.....11:08 P. M.

#### NORTH.

No. 112 Ar. Daily.....4:17 P. M.  
No. 114 Ar. Daily.....3:15 A. M.

#### OKLAHOMA CENTRAL RAILWAY

#### TRAIN GOING EAST.

12 Lv. Daily.....2:55 P. M.

#### TRAIN FROM EAST.

11 Ar. Daily.....10:05 A. M.

#### TRAIN GOING WEST.

3 Lv. Daily.....3:30 P. M.

#### TRAIN FROM WEST.

4 Ar. Daily.....2:55 P. M.

#### FRISCO.

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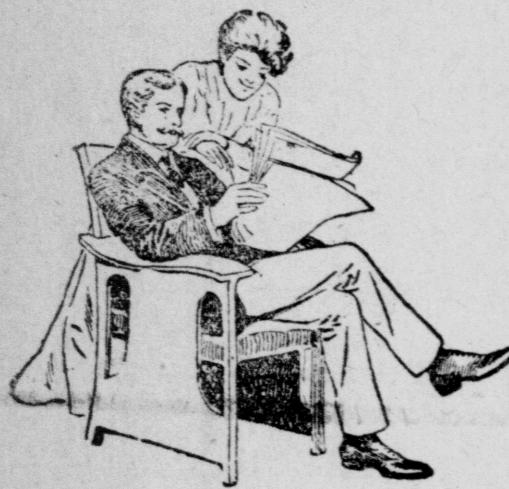
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## Going to Theater

"Tell me all about last night's play," said Mildred as she did her hair up in a ponytail.

"I have nothing to say about it. Nothing at all—not a word," emphatically declared Marjory.

"Whatever do you mean?" questioned Mildred. "Everybody is raving about it. This morning's paper stated it is the best drama produced in years. I fully expected to hear you rant about it."

"That might all be true, but I reiterate that I have nothing—no comments to make on last night's masterpiece."

"Marjory, you are exasperating. Speak! Explain! Never before have I heard you claim that you had nothing to say, be the subject what it may."

"How can I criticize a production that I have never seen?" innocently inquired Marjory.

"Do you mean to say you didn't go to theater last night with Bob, after all your wild anticipations and preparation?" demanded Mildred.

"I went to theater with Bob last night, but I didn't see the play," calmly vouchsafed Marjory.

"Kindly give me the answer to this riddle. You seem to enjoy propounding conundrums."

"I didn't intend telling anybody about this affair," began Marjory. "I think Bob is sensitive about it, and I know my feelings on the subject. But you have a way about you of making people tell things they have firmly made up their minds to keep a dark secret—so here goes."

"On arriving at the theater, he reached in his full dress coat pocket for the tickets, turned pale and exclaimed: 'Heavens! I left them in my business suit!' He rushed to the ticket office. Not a seat to be had in the house. Even the scalpers had nothing."

"Marjory," said Bob, "I'll take you to the ladies' parlor. You wait there. I'll jump in a machine, ride home, get the tickets and return before you know I'm gone. I'm beastly sorry that I was such an idiot as to forget those card boards. You won't mind, little girl, will you?"

"So I retired to the waiting room and waited. Never was an apartment better named. Ladies came in and ladies went out. Still I waited. Between each act I fussed with my hair and powdered by nose so the ladies would not be suspicious of my lengthy stay. One congenial woman with her mouth full of hairpins turned to me and said: 'Isn't this play divine?' And rolling my eyes upward, I truthfully answered, 'Simply unheard of.'

"Near the close of the third act Bob appeared. Poor boy, I felt sorry for him."

"Had a deuce of a time," he gasped, all out of breath. "I gave the chauffeur orders to 'beat it' on the way home. Got held up for speeding. Had all kinds of trouble to straighten it out. Guess my family thinks I'm crazy, the way I rushed in and rushed out. Such a miserable evening for you, Marjory. I'm mighty sorry. It is too late to go in and see the finish, isn't it?"

"Most certainly it is," I agreed.

"Then Bob said, 'Well, let's go and have a good supper—a regular blow-out—and see if we can forget my asininity.'

"The lights, the music, the gay surroundings and the delicious repast put us in good spirits and by the time the finger bowls were served we were quite exhilarated.

"As I was buttoning my sixteen-inch white glove, imagine my dismay upon seeing Bob turn ghastly white for the second time that evening, and hoarse and pathetically gasp, 'Marjory, I left my money in my other suit!'

"He was a complete stranger in that restaurant. He didn't know any of the guests, either. He couldn't pay the bill. He couldn't tip the waiter. Think of our chagrin."

"Finally I spied a Mr. Worthington, whom I knew in prehistoric times. We waited until he passed by our table. Then I explained to him our humiliating predicament. Of course, he gladly loaned Bob the necessary sum. But the embarrassment! Most awful!"

"You poor, poor child," laughed Milledred. "Such an evening! It certainly was exciting. But, I wager, Bob and you with your sense of humor will have as much sport talking about it as if you had had a normal evening."

"Maybe we will," said Marjory. "Any way, we are really going to see the play tonight. That is, if Bob doesn't forget his tickets."

**Treatment Explained.**  
"How," she murmured in passionate tones, leaning across the table, "how can you treat me so?"

A shadow crossed his brow. Then he said frankly: "Well, I got \$25 on my watch today."

Her face was wreathed in dimples. "Let's have some more lobster," she gurgled.

**Six-Year-Old's Useful Invention.**  
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## GOLD WEDDING COPY OF FIRST

Menu of Supper is Same as That Served After Couple Were First United in 1862.

Indianapolis.—With the same menu that was spread before them fifty years ago, and with several of the same persons as guests who were present at their first wedding supper, Mr. and Mrs. Levi C. Bowser observed the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage by serving a wedding supper to their children and a few friends.

When Miss Caroline Dawson became the bride of Levi C. Bowser on March 6, 1862, the event was followed by a bounteous supper at the country home of the bride's father, John W. Dawson, then one of the prominent farmers of Marion county. Turkey was the piece de resistance of the happy feast, and turkey was served to the wedding guests again.

The guests who witnessed the wedding fifty years ago were Capt. Byron Dawson, retired army officer; Richardson Moore and Mrs. Nancy Graham. There were about fifty persons at the wedding, but these are the only ones now living in Marion county.

Mr. and Mrs. Bowser have lived for more than forty of the fifty years of their married life in their present home. In many respects theirs has been an ideal romance. Mr. Bowser's father also was a pioneer farmer of the county, and owned a farm adjoining the Dawson farm, about three miles south of Indianapolis. As playmates in their childhood, lovers in their youth and husband and wife in later years, hardly a day of their lives has passed but what they have seen each other.

For many years Mr. Bowser conducted a grocery at South street and Virginia avenue and later at Fletcher avenue and Shelby street, but retired from business several years ago. Mr. Bowser is 74 years old and Mrs. Bowser is 68. He is in excellent health, but Mrs. Bowser has been confined to her chair from rheumatism for several years.

## INDIANS MALTREAT A MAN

Colorado River Tribe Imprisons a Smithsonian Institution Collector, Who Finally Escapes.

San Bernardino, Cal.—Capt. James Bartlett, who for years has traversed the desert collecting specimens for the Smithsonian Institution, has arrived here with his face and body cut and bruised and telling story of having been attacked by Colorado River Indians who thought him an evil spirit.

"When I appeared in their village," said Captain Bartlett, "the Indians were terror-stricken. They seized me and threw me into a hut, about which they placed a guard. Their warriors worked themselves into a frenzy with a religious dance.

"I learned that they thought I was the ghost of another Captain Bartlett, a rifle expert formerly connected with a powder company, who died several months ago in Los Angeles. It seemed that white men had read in the papers of the rifle expert's death, and, thinking it was I, had told the Indians that I was dead.

"When night came the guards about my hut relaxed their vigilance and I made my escape."

"Most certainly it is," I agreed.

"Then Bob said, 'Well, let's go and have a good supper—a regular blow-out—and see if we can forget my asininity.'

Topeka, Kan.—The richest county in the United States per capita, according to figures compiled by Mark Tully, state treasurer, is Clark county, Kan. The per capita wealth of Clark county, which is in what once was called the Great American desert, is \$3,272. Figured on the same basis, Kansas, the state treasurer says, is one of the richest states in the Union, if not the richest.

It is the purely agricultural counties in the center of the state that are the richest. A dozen or so counties in that part of the state have per capita valuations in excess of \$2,000.

The eastern counties, while the most populous, appear to have nearly all of the poor people of the state, for there the assessed valuation per capita ranges from \$745 up.

**ROMANCE WINS MAN A JOB**

Mayor in Minneapolis Appoints Police Officer After His Sweetheart Pleads for Him.

Minneapolis.—Because Mayor J. C. Haynes believes in romance, R. H. Friedrich, who is 6 feet 2 inches in height and weighs 230 pounds, today is a member of the police force.

Some two weeks ago Friedrich called on the mayor to see about a position on the force. The next day Louise Leubener visited the mayor.

"She told me she knew Robert Friedrich, and that he was the best man in the world, said Mayor Haynes.

"I guess we had better take him on," he declared later. "I tell you, chief, it is romance that makes the world go round."

**Child as Ancestor of Dad.**

Franklin, Pa.—Under the laws of Pennsylvania a child may become the ancestor of its parents. The words "ancestor" and "progenitor" are not synonymous, and a child may become the ancestor of its parents by dying and leaving them property. These interesting facts are contained in an opinion rendered here by Judge George S. Criswell in a suit over an estate.

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## His Hospitable Way

"Do you remember, mother," asked young Mrs. Albaugh, "that before I was married I used to hope that when I got a husband he would be a whole-souled, hospitable man?"

"Yes, I remember," was the smiling answer, "and I wondered then if you realized just what it means to have a man in the family who issues invitations to everybody all the time."

"I realize it now, anyway," said the daughter. "Why, mother, Jimmie is absolutely the most inordinately hospitable person I ever saw. He seems to want everyone he knows to have a meal in our flat."

"It's because he's so proud of his little home, I suppose," returned her mother.

"Well, I'm afraid he wasn't very proud of it last Sunday. But I'll have to tell you about it.

"Saturday night we had the Fisks—you know they are the people in the apartment beneath us—to dinner, and as they had entertained us so nicely when we first moved in of course I wanted to give them a spread, so we had a four-course dinner. Just after dinner Thora got a telephone message that her brother-in-law had had an accident, so without washing a single dish she left for South Chicago to help her sister take care of him.

"When we got up Sunday morning there were so many soiled dishes I could hardly get breakfast. I complained to Jimmie that it would take me all day to wash those dishes."

"Nonsense!" he said. "We'll go to church and dine downtown and then tonight, when we have taken off our Sunday clothes, we'll do the dishes together in no time."

"That sounded pleasant to me and I turned my back on my disorderly flat with a delightful runaway sense of freedom."

"While we were in the restaurant rain began to fall in torrents, so we lingered over our dessert and coffee a long time. Finally the storm subsided and we went home. Imagine my astonishment when Jimmie unlocked our flat and I beheld his cousin that I hardly know at all—Robert Albaugh and his wife—sitting in our parlor dressed in Jimmie's lounging robe and my kimono!

"Why, hello!" cried Jimmie. "We're mighty glad to see you."

"I'm afraid we came a little early," said Mrs. Robert as I shook hands with her. "You see, we have taken some liberties."

"Not at all! We are delighted," bubbled Jimmie. "This is great. But how, did you ever get in?"

"Well," said Robert, "when we found you weren't at home we thought we'd take a ride in the park, as this is the first time we've had our car in town. But we hadn't gone two blocks when that cloudburst came and we got drenched. We were too wet to go anywhere that we couldn't make ourselves at home in, so we ran back here and I climbed the fire escape to your kitchen window. The man who lives under you rushed out and threatened to have me arrested. I told him not to bother me."

"And I told him who we were," added Mrs. Robert, "and begged him not to stop Bob, as we were expected to tea."

"When she said that I just looked at Jimmie, but Jimmie was busy assuring Robert that it didn't in the least matter that he had cut our new window screen in order to get in, so my precious husband never noticed my accusing glance. But when I got him alone for a minute I said, 'James Albaugh, you invited your cousins to tea and never told me!'

"I forgot all about it," he answered. "But you can get up some little thing for supper, can't you?"

"Well, what did you say to that?" asked her mother.

"I said of course I could and I pitched in, while Jimmie talked to his guests. I washed enough dishes to set the table and I made hot biscuits and coffee and I made a salad of the cold chicken that was left from the night before. Inside of an hour they were all eating."

"I was pretty hot and flustered, but I tried to be bright and chatty while they ate. When they left Mrs. Robert squeezed my hand in the most sisterly manner and whispered, 'The Albaugh men are all alike, but they've got sense about one thing—they choose capable wives.' So I knew that, despite all my efforts, she had taken in the whole situation."

"I hope Jimmie was properly contrite?" remarked the mother.

"Oh, Jimmie was a perfect dear. He said that night while we were washing the dishes that after this experience he wouldn't be afraid to ask in a whole regiment to dine, for I was such a wonder. I don't want you ever to think, mother, that Jimmie is unappreciative."

"No, nor inhospitable," added her mother, dryly.—Chicago Daily News.

**His Luck.**

"Well, thank heaven," he said, approaching a sad-looking man who sat back in a dark corner, "that's over with."

"What is?"

"I've danced with the hostess."

"Have you gone through with it yet?"

"No, I don't need to. I'm the host."



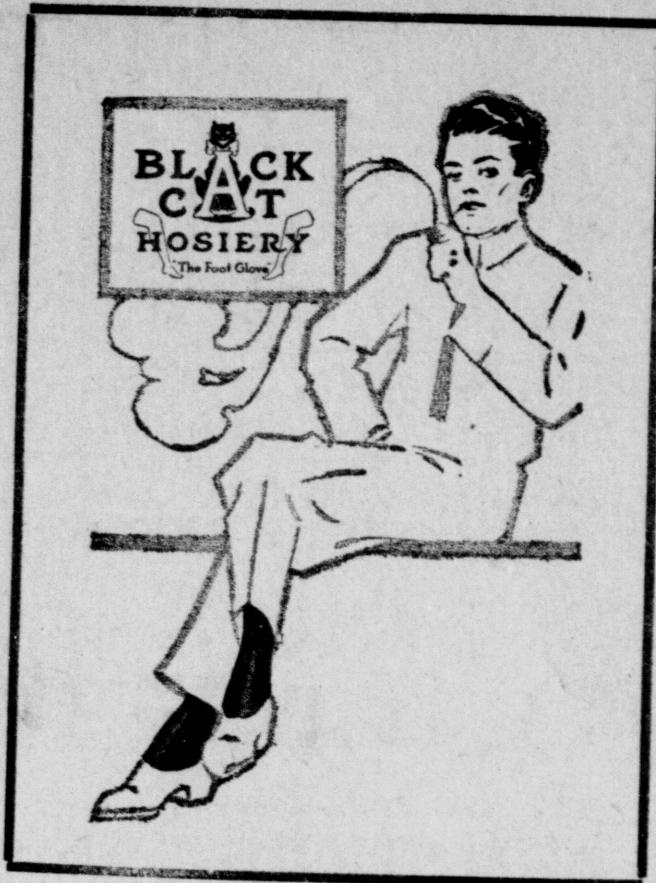
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We have a great showing, from the kind that is almost as sheer as a spider's web to the coarse, heavy kind, that go with the rough, corded goods, so popular this season.

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Bands, Edging, Flouncing, and All-Over, variety of widths and big range of prices.

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Lingerie, Leather and Mesh Bags, 50c to **\$7.50**.

See the new novelties in Ladies' Neckwear, Hair Ornaments, Jabots, Belt Pins, Etc.

HENDERSON Corsets are constructed so that they will give lasting service and retain their shapeliness as long as worn.

Under ordinary circumstances, one of these corsets should outwear two of the ordinary kind. The side stays are double; they are made of the highest grade, non-rustable, flexible clock-spring steel. The bones are double; of the same material as the side stays, only of a narrower, lighter gauge. A double stripping covers bones and side stays, thus greatly lessening the possibility of their wearing through. The front clasp is reinforced; the two extra shorter steels, which cover the waistline, are fastened at the upper end only, making this clasp practically unbreakable and very resilient.

Price **\$1.00 to \$5.00** Aurora Corsets 50c

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\$10.00	Serge Dresses, Now.....	<b>\$7.50</b>
\$15.00	Pongee Dresses, Now.....	<b>11.25</b>
\$16.50	Serge Dresses, Now.....	<b>12.50</b>
\$20.00	Serge Dresses, Now.....	<b>15.00</b>
\$27.50	Bedford Cord Dresses, "	<b>21.00</b>
\$30.00	Silk Dresses, Now.....	<b>22.50</b>
\$10.00	Voile Dresses, Now.....	<b>30.00</b>
\$45.00	Crepe Meteor Dresses "	<b>33.75</b>



HENDERSON  
Fashion Form  
Corsets

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